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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Washougal Wastewater Treatment Plant Anoxic Selector Project in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Washougal located at 1701 C Street, Washougal WA 98671.

This effort will seek to support the installation of a new, required Anoxic Selector at the Washougal Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP). The project is the next component of a multi-phase expansion and upgrade process. In addition to enhancing water quality and creating a more sustainable water supply, the improvements will double the capacity of the plant, providing for the future growth and economic development of the Port of Camas-Washougal and the City of Washougal.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars because funding will bring support for needed water upgrades throughout the city, which in return, will contribute to stable rates for consumers into the future. In addition, added improvements will encourage economic development opportunities.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Jaime Herrera Bentler

Jaime Herrera Beutler Member of Congress